



ANNUAL REPORTS

of the

Town of Auburn

New Hampshire

and School District of Auburn, N. H.



For the Year Ending January 31, 1925



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OF THE

SELECTMEN AND TREASURER The Highway Agent and All Other Officers

OF THE

TOWN OF AUBURN

FOR THE YEAR ENDING

JANUARY 31, 1925

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TOWN OFFICERS

Moderator.

FRED H. HALL.

Town Clerk.

EDWARD C. GRIFFIN.

Town Treasurer.

CHARLES W. HUNKINS.

Selectmen.

EDGAR L. PRESTON. GEORGE E. SPOFFORD. SEVERANCE A. SMITH.

Supervisors of Checklist.

HENRY H. PRESTON.

FRANK FORSAITH. WILLIAM P. KIMBALL.

Highway Agent.

ALBERT E. EATON.

Collector of Taxes.

WILLIAM J. MOY.

Health Officer.

HENRY C. SANBORN.

Auditors.

HENRY H. PRESTON.

FRANK FORSAITH.

LUTHER A. FORD.

Fire Warden.

EDWARD W. SMITH.

Library Trustees.

WILLARD H. GRIFFIN.
ELMER D. ALLEN. CORA C. EMERY.

Police Officers.

EDWARD W. SMITH.
ALFRED N. SANBORN. LINBERT I. EMERSON.

Dog Officer.

JOHN A. SAUNDERS.

Trust Fund Trustees.

EDGAR L. PRESTON.

JOHN P. GRIFFIN. FRED STACY.

Cemetery Trustees.

EDGAR L. PRESTON.

JOHN P. GRIFFIN. FRED STACY.

TOWN WARRANT

[Copy of Warrant as drafted by Selectmen, February 14, 1925.]

STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE.

ROCKINGHAM, SS.

To the Inhabitants of the Town of Auburn, in said County, qualified to vote in Town affairs:

[L. S.]

You are hereby notified to meet at Grange Hall, in said town, on Tuesday, the tenth day of March next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to act upon the following subjects:

First. To bring in your votes for

Town Clerk.

One Selectman for three years.

Tax Collector.

Town Treasurer.

Highway Agent.

One Library Trustee for three years.

One Cemetery Trustee for three years.

One Trust Fund Trustee for three years.

Three Auditors.

At 12:30 o'clock P. M. the meeting will be open for the following articles:

Second. To choose all other necessary town officers.

Third. To see if the Town will vote to incur debt for temporary loans in anticipation of taxes for the year 1925.

Fourth. To raise money to defray town charges for the ensuing year.

Fifth. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise in addition to the amount required by law for the repair of highways and appropriate the same.

Sixth. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate for the maintenance of the trunk line road.

Seventh. To see if the Town will vote to raise, appropriate and set apart an additional sum equal to fifty per cent of the amount required by section 4, chapter 35, Laws of 1905, relating to State highways.

Eighth. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate for the maintenance of State Aid road.

Ninth. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate for the repair of bridges.

Tenth. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate for the proper observance of Memorial Day, and choose a committee to expend the same.

Eleventh. To see what action the Town will take in regard to the H. B. Burnham Fund income, being expended for library or school benefit.

Twelfth. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise for the control of the White Pine Blister Rust.

Thirteenth. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for the improvement of Deerneck road providing a like amount be furnished by W. M. Parker.

Fourteenth. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise for the improvement of the Longmeadow cemetery.

Fifteenth. To see if the Town will vote to raise \$120.00 for street lights at Massabesic.

Sixteenth. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$500.00 for 25 electric street lights to be installed on the M. T. L. & P. poles at intervals through the village. Beginning at E. L. Preston's.

Seventeenth. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise for a sidewalk on the North side of Candia Road, from Emerson corner to the town line as petitioned by fifty-two residents.

Eighteenth. To see if the town will vote to erect a traffic sign at Emerson Corner.

Nineteenth. To see if the town will vote to keep the winter road open for automobile travel on the main road from Manchester to Candia and Chester lines.

Twentieth. To see if the town will vote to prohibit Sunday hunting in town.

Twenty-first. To see if the town will vote to establish a Municipal Court.

Twenty-second. To see what action the town will take in regard to Old Home Week.

Twenty-third. To transact any other business that may legally come before the meeting.

BUDGET OF THE TOWN OF

Estimates of Revenue and Expenditures for the Ensuing Year, February 1, 1925, Previous Year, February 1,

SOURCES OR REVENUE.	Actual Revenue Previous Year 1924.	Estimated Revenue Ensuing Year 1925.	Increase.	Decrease.
FROM STATE: Railroad Tax	\$114.69 1,446.01 40.83	\$114.69 1,446.01 100.00	\$59.17	
ance	$531.10 \\ 20.27$	$700.00 \\ 20.27$	168.90	
FROM LOCAL SOURCES EX- CEPT TAXES:				
All Licenses and Permits except Pog Licenses Fines and Forfeits Interest Received on Taxes and	1,107.67 255.00	1,200.00 300.00	92.33 45.00	
Deposits	9.54	10.00	.46	
ways, Sewers, Etc	5.00	5.00		
FROM POLL TAXES	1,480.00	900,00		\$580.00
REVENUE APPLICABLE ONLY TO NEW CONSTRUCTION AND IMPROVEMENTS: From State—				
(a) For State Aid Highway Construction	401.45	425.00	23.55	
(b) For Deer Neck Road	500.00	500.00		
REVENUE WHICH MUST BE PAID TO OTHER GOVERN-MENTAL DIVISIONS	196.10	200.00	3.90	
Amount Raised by Property Taxes	20,245.76	21,000.00	754.24	
TOTAL REVENUES	\$26,353.42	\$26,920.97	\$1,147.55	\$580.00

AUBURN, NEW HAMPSHIRE.

to January 31, 1926, Compared with Actual Revenue and Expenditures of the 1924, to January 31, 1925.

PURPOSES OF EXPENDITURES.	Actual xpenditures Previous Year 1924.	Estimated Expenditures Ensuing Year 1925.	Increase.	Decrease.
CURRENT MAINTENANCE EX- PENSES:				
General Government:	0510.00	# 1 000 00	\$257.78	
Town Officers' Salaries Town Officers' Expenses	\$742.22 348.78	\$1,000.00 400.00	51.22	
Election and Registration Ex-	155.45	75.00		\$80.45
Care and Supplies for Town Hall	75.00	75.00		
Protection of Persons and Property:	10.00	10100		
Police Department	274,19	300.00	25.81	
Fire Department	669.48	669.48		
Health: Health Department	21.50	50.00	28,50	
Vital Statistics	.25	2.00	1.75	
Highway and Bridges:				,
State Aid Maintenance:			F = 00	
State's Contribution	544.20 544.21	600.00 600.00	55.80 55.79	
Town's Contribution Trunk Line Maintenance:	344.21	000.00	00,10	
State's Contribution	6,938.00	6,938.00		
Town's Contribution	3,469.00	3,469.00		
Town Maintenance	4,491.65	4,500.00	8.35	
Street Lighting	120.00	300.00	180.00	
Education:	45.60	45.60		
Libraries	40.00	40.00		
Town Poor	1,215.26	1,000.00		215.26
Patriotic Purposes:	,			
Memorial Day and Other Cel-		# 0.00	02.00	
ebrations	22.00	50.00	28.00	
Public Service Enterprises:	112.00	50.00		62.00
Cemeteries	112.00	00.00		
INTEREST:				
On Temporary Loans	406.33	500.00	83.67	
OUTLAY FOR NEW CONSTRUC-				
TION AND PERMANENT				
IMPROVEMENTS:				
Highways and Bridges:				=0.00
Town Construction	1,052.80	1,000.00		52.80
State Aid Construction:	401,45	410.00	8.55	
State's Contribution Town's Contribution	704.04		15.96	
PAYMENTS TO OTHER GOV-				
ERNMENTAL DIVISIONS:	2,087,00	2,087.00		
State Taxes	1,704.04	1,704.04		
County Taxes	7,270.78	7,500.00	229.22	
TOTAL EXPENDITURES	\$33,425.23	\$34,045.12	\$1,030.40	\$410.51

INVENTORY APRIL 1, 1924

Lands and Buildings	\$578,823.00
184 Horses	16,670.00
2 Oxen	150.00
228 Cows	12,040.00
25 Other neat stock	785.00
6 Hogs	100.00
3,617 Fowls	4,516.00
2 Boats	400.00
Wood and Lumber	57,228.00
Gasoline pumps and tanks	500.00
Stock in Trade	26,353.00
Mills and Machinery	3,300.00
-	\$700,865.00
Amount exempted to soldiers	\$6,500.00
Amount of taxes committed to collec-	·
tors, including Poll taxes	\$22,640.71
APPROPRIATIONS.	
Amount required by law for highways	\$1,674.98
State aid highway construction	334.50
State aid highway maintenance	500.00
Highway by vote of town	2,500.00
Bridges	300.00
Trunk line road	3,442.79
Deerneck road	500.00
Memorial day	30.75
Street lights	120.00
Libraries	45.00
Schools	. 7,167.93
Town Chagres	800.00
State tax	1,495.00
County tax	1,704.04
	1,104.04
Cemeteries	100.00

TOWN ASSETS.

In hands of Treasurer February 1, 1925 State aid road maintenance Tax and Costs paid by town, J. D. Heartland 1920-1921 1922 1923 1924 Tax Taxes not collected, 1922 Taxes not collected, 1923 Taxes not collected, 1924	\$358.58 54.03 : 15.39 11.35 8.70 6.96 116.80 226.85 1,238.04
	\$2,036.70
TOWN LIABILITIES. Memorial Day appropriated	53.00 248.59 196.10 54.03
	\$551.72
LIST OF TOWN PROPERTY	
Library land and buildings	\$500.00
Library furniture and equipment	100.00
Police Station and equipment	300.00
Highway Department, equipment	200.00
Hearse house, hearse and harness	200.00

TOWN CLERK'S REPORT

For the year ending January 31, 1925

I certify that I have issued since Ja January 31, 1925 inclusive 195 auto pe		1, 1921 to
Amounting to the sum of		\$1,107.67
I certify that I have issued since Ja January 31, 1925 inclusive the following		
79 Male dogs for one year at \$2 per dog	r	\$158.00
10 Female dogs for one year at \$5 per	/	50.00
1 Female dog for 9 months		3.75
1 Female dog for 3 months		1.25
1 Male dog for 9 months		1.50
Whole amount received	0 -	\$214.50
Town Clerk's fee 20 cents per dog		18.40
Town Clerk's fee 20 cents per dog		10.40
Amount due the Town		\$196.10
Received for Primary filing fees		\$3.00
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I hereby certify that the foregoing accounts are correct.

Attest:

EDWARD C. GRIFFIN, Town Clerk.

AUDITORS' REPORT

Auburn, N. H., February 14, 1925.

We certify that we have this day examined the foregoing accounts of the Town Clerk, and found them correctly cast and properly vouched for.

FRANK FORSAITH, HENRY H. PRESTON, LUTHER A. FORD,

Auditors.

TREASURER'S REPORT

Cash on hand February 1, 1924	\$469.04
Received of W. J. Moy, collector:	
1922 List	41.59
1923 List	387.95
1924 List	21,296.22
Interest on taxes	9.54
Received of E. C. Griffin:	
Dog licenses	196.10
Auto permits	1.107.67
Received of:	,
State Highway Department	932.55
State Forest Fire Department	40.83
Treasurer balance due town	
Railroad and Savings Bank tax	68.06
Interest and Dividend tax	20.27
W. J. Moy, hay on Rankin place	5.00
Advertisements in town report	45.00
_	43.75
Printing School Reports	500.00
	59.25
Rockingham County, County Poor	3.00
Primary fees	255.00
Police Court fines	255.00
Abatements:	94.00
1922 List	34.00
1923 List	30.00
1924 List	106.45
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\$25,651.27

TREASURER'S SUMMARY OF PAYMENTS.

Paid—	
Town officers' salaries	\$742.22
Town officers' expenses	348.78
Election and registration expenses	155.45
Rent of Town Hall	75.00
Police Department	274.19
Fire Department	669.48
Bridges	312.54
Health Department	21.50
Vital Statistics	0.25
State aid road maintenance	1,088.41
Trunk line road maintenance	3,469.00
Town maintenance	3,691.00
Street lights	120.00
Winter roads	488.03
Libraries	45.60
Town poor	1,215.26
County poor	59.25
Patriotic purposes	22.00
Cemeteries	112.00
Deerneck road	1,052.80
Abatements refunded and cost of sales	180.95
Damage by dogs	22.50
Taxes bought by town	21.76
State aid road construction	1,105.49
Interest	416.33
Other governmental divisions	9,566.82
Expense of auditors	16.00
	\$25,292.69
Balance in treasury February 1, 1925	
	\$25,651.27

DETAILED STATEMENT OF PAYMENTS

TOWN OFFICERS' SALARIES

Paid—	
Thomas F. Dollard, Selectman after Janu-	
ary 31, 1924	\$24.75
E. L. Preston, Selectman	127.00
G. E. Spofford, Selectman	140.90
S. A. Smith, Selectman	98.00
C. W. Hunkins, Treasurer	50.00
E. C. Griffin:	
Town Clerk	34.10
Register auto permits	48.75
W. J. Moy, Collecting Taxes:	
1923	4.18
1924	214.54
_	
	\$742.22
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TOWN OFFICERS' EXPENSES.	φιτ2.22
TOWN OFFICERS' EXPENSES. Paid—	φι ±2.22
	\$2.00
Paid—	\$2.00
Paid— G. A. Vermille, bond for trust fund trustee	•
Paid— G. A. Vermille, bond for trust fund trustee J. B. Clarke Company:	\$2.00
Paid— G. A. Vermille, bond for trust fund trustee J. B. Clarke Company: Printing Town Report, 1924	\$2.00 167.70
Paid— G. A. Vermille, bond for trust fund trustee J. B. Clarke Company: Printing Town Report, 1924 Printing	\$2.00 167.70 8.00
Paid— G. A. Vermille, bond for trust fund trustee J. B. Clarke Company: Printing Town Report, 1924 Printing For Auto Rate Book	\$2.00 167.70 8.00 3.00
Paid— G. A. Vermille, bond for trust fund trustee J. B. Clarke Company: Printing Town Report, 1924 Printing For Auto Rate Book L. A. Thorp, counsel	\$2.00 167.70 8.00 3.00 10.00
Paid— G. A. Vermille, bond for trust fund trustee J. B. Clarke Company: Printing Town Report, 1924 Printing For Auto Rate Book L. A. Thorp, counsel E. C. Griffin, making lease E. L. Preston: Use of horse and auto	\$2.00 167.70 8.00 3.00 10.00
Paid— G. A. Vermille, bond for trust fund trustee J. B. Clarke Company: Printing Town Report, 1924 Printing For Auto Rate Book L. A. Thorp, counsel E. C. Griffin, making lease E. L. Preston:	\$2.00 167.70 8.00 3.00 10.00 2.00

Paid—	
E. C. Eastman, Tax Collector's book G. E. Spofford, meals for town officers and	\$4.00
carfare	21.37
S. A. Smith, use of auto, meals for town	21.01
officers and carfare	18.82
F. H. Prescott Co., postage	8.29
G. A. Putman, Tax Collector's bond	15.00
W. J. Moy, attending tax assessors' meet-	10.00
ing and expenses	10.00
W. P. Goodman, stationery and blank book	17.00
W. J. Moy, printing tax bills	9.50
E. W. Smith, checklists and expenses as	
Supervisor	22.00
	\$348.78
ELECTION AND REGISTRATION	
Paid—	
J. B. Clarke Co., printing ballots	\$12.00
Mary L. Emery, meals for election officers	
W. B. Hickey, electric wiring booths	5.00
E. C. Griffin, Election Officer	12.00
C. E. Emery, Election Officer	12.00
E. L. Preston, Election Officer	11.15
G. E. Spofford, Election Officer	11.15
S. A. Smith, Election Officer	8.00
W. J. Moy, Election Officer	11.15
Clarence W. Emery, Supervisor	20.00
Alfred Lallier, Supervisor	12.00
E. W. Smith, Supervisor	24.00
George P. Griffin, Moderator	12.00
	\$155.45
TOWN HALL.	
Paid—	

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

Paid—	
L. I. Emmerson	\$177.80
E. W. Smith	7.50
J. A. Saunders, dog officer	39.00
T. S. Emery, printing	29.75
Repairs on police station	6.94 13.20
- Institute on police station, 1929-1924	19.20
	\$274.19
FIRE DEPARTMENT.	
Paid—	
Fire Warden—	
Fighting forest fires	\$669.48
HEALTH DEPARTMENT.	
Paid—	
H. C. Sanborn, health officer	\$21.50
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VITAL STATISTICS.	
Paid—	4.0.0
W. R. Saunders, M. D	\$0.25
STATE AID ROAD MAINTENAN	CE.
1923 balance in State and Town treasury	\$222.68
1924 appropriation by State and Town	1,000.00
_	\$1,222.68
Expended	
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Unexpended Balance	\$108.07
TRUNK LINE ROAD MAINTENAN	CE.
Paid State 1923 account	\$3,469.00
1924 Trunk line expense \$4,264.70	
Town owes State 1-3 or 1,421.56	

HIGHWAY AGENT'S REPORT

MONTH OF APRIL.

Paid—	
A. E. Eaton:	
Labor	\$57.00
Team	18.00
William Jameson, labor	12 00
E. W. Smith, labor	2.23
Benjamin Eaton, labor	12.00
Nathaniel Sanborn, labor	9.78
John Davis:	
Labor	45.78
Team	40.00
J. L. Hinds:	
Labor	36.00
Team	36.00
F. R. Davis:	
Labor	32.00
Team	32.00
Fred Schlougk:	
Labor	12.00
Team	12.00
A. W. Pingrey:	
·Labor	5.78
Team	5.78
Metron Grant, labor	4.00
George Stewart, labor	5.78
Charles Keniston:	
Labor	42.45
One horse	5.85
Clarence Newcomb, labor	45.78
S. O. Prescott, labor	8.67

Paid—	
Albert Langley, labor	\$8.00
Fred Stacy, labor	22.23
Joe Gosselin:	
Labor	32.00
Team	32.00
Frank Hamblett, labor	8.00
Joe Simoneau, labor	8.00
John Brown, labor	16.00
George Browning, labor	36.00
Roy Davis, labor	5.78
J. T. W. Davis, labor	4.00
Myron Brown:	
Labor	38.00
Team	38.00
W. Delaware, labor	8.00
L. H. Reid, storing road machinery	5.00
	\$741.89
MONTH OF MAY.	
Paid—	
A. E. Eaton:	
Labor	
	\$52.00
Auto	3.00
Team	
TeamJohn Davis:	$\frac{3.00}{20.50}$
TeamJohn Davis: Labor	3.00 20.50 48.00
Team John Davis: Labor Team	3.00 20.50 48.00 38.00
Team John Davis: Labor Team Nathaniel Sanborn, labor	3.00 20.50 48.00
Team John Davis: Labor Team Nathaniel Sanborn, labor J. L. Hinds:	3.00 20.50 48.00 38.00 10.22
Team John Davis: Labor Team Nathaniel Sanborn, labor J. L. Hinds: Labor	3.00 20.50 48.00 38.00 10.22 44.00
Team John Davis: Labor Team Nathaniel Sanborn, labor J. L. Hinds: Labor Team	3.00 20.50 48.00 38.00 10.22
Team John Davis: Labor Team Nathaniel Sanborn, labor J. L. Hinds: Labor Team F. R. Davis:	3.00 20.50 48.00 38.00 10.22 44.00 48.00
Team John Davis: Labor Team Nathaniel Sanborn, labor J. L. Hinds: Labor Team F. R. Davis: Labor	3.00 20.50 48.00 38.00 10.22 44.00 48.00
Team John Davis: Labor Team Nathaniel Sanborn, labor J. L. Hinds: Labor Team F. R. Davis: Labor Team	3.00 20.50 48.00 38.00 10.22 44.00 48.00
Team John Davis: Labor Team Nathaniel Sanborn, labor J. L. Hinds: Labor Team F. R. Davis: Labor	3.00 20.50 48.00 38.00 10.22 44.00 48.00

Paid-	
Charles Keniston:	
Labor	\$28.00
One horse	6.00
Clarence Newcomb, labor	37.78
Albert Langley, labor	21.78
Fred Stacy, labor	4.00
Joe Simoneau, labor	44.00
George Browning, labor	37.78
R. E. McKinley, labor and team	8.00
Joe Gosselin, labor and team	32.00
Elmer Allen, labor and team	9.78
Fred Heath, labor	3.11
New blade for road machine	10.00
J. P. Griffin, 50 loads gravel	6.25
A. W. Pingrey, 100 loads gravel	10.00
	\$618.20
MONTH OF JUNE.	
Paid—	
A. E. Eaton:	
Labor	\$106.00
Auto	23.50
Team	
ream	94.07
R.E. McKinley:	
R .E. McKinley: Labor	94.07 78.64
R .E. McKinley: Labor Team	94.07 78.64 78.64
R .E. McKinley: Labor Team George Browning, labor	94.07 78.64
R .E. McKinley: Labor Team George Browning, labor J. L. Hinds:	94.07 78.64 78.64 4.00
R .E. McKinley: Labor Team George Browning, labor J. L. Hinds: Labor	94.07 78.64 78.64 4.00 82.20
R .E. McKinley: Labor Team George Browning, labor J. L. Hinds: Labor Team	94.07 78.64 78.64 4.00
R .E. McKinley: Labor Team George Browning, labor J. L. Hinds: Labor Team Myron Brown:	94.07 78.64 78.64 4.00 82.20 82.20
R .E. McKinley: Labor Team George Browning, labor J. L. Hinds: Labor Team Myron Brown: Labor	94.07 78.64 78.64 4.00 82.20 82.20
R.E. McKinley: Labor Team George Browning, labor J. L. Hinds: Labor Team Myron Brown: Labor Team Team	94.07 78.64 78.64 4.00 82.20 82.20
R.E. McKinley: Labor Team George Browning, labor J. L. Hinds: Labor Team Myron Brown: Labor Team Team T. Labor T. Cann	94.07 78.64 78.64 4.00 82.20 82.20 14.64 14.64
R.E. McKinley: Labor Team George Browning, labor J. L. Hinds: Labor Team Myron Brown: Labor Team F. R. Davis: Labor	94.07 78.64 78.64 4.00 82.20 82.20 14.64 14.64 84.40
R.E. McKinley: Labor Team George Browning, labor J. L. Hinds: Labor Team Myron Brown: Labor Team Team T. Labor T. Cann	94.07 78.64 78.64 4.00 82.20 82.20 14.64 14.64

Paid—	
Roy Davis, labor	\$17.76
C. Colton, labor	9.76
John Davis, labor	94.16
Fred Schlougk:	
Labor	22.16
Team	18.16
Charles Keniston, labor	74.64
William Jameson, labor	94.16
Joe Simoneau, labor	40.00
Nathaniel Sanborn, labor	72.40
A. Langly, labor	74.64
J. P. Griffin, 50 loads gravel	6.25
_	\$1,271.42
Months of July and August.	
A. E. Eaton:	
Labor	\$9.00
Auto	2.00
Team	8.00
Fred Schlougk:	
Labor	8.00
Team	8.00
E. Fogg:	
Labor	8.00
Team	8.00
John Davis, labor	20.44
Nathaniel Sanborn, labor	8.00
William Jameson, labor	8.00
Joe Simoneau, labor	8.00
Fred Rivers, labor	44.00
Elmer D. Allen, labor and supplies	5.40
Charles Keniston, labor	53.78
C. Colton, labor	8.00

Paid—	
H. Preston, labor	\$1.78
Jennis Brown, labor	36.00
J. B. Varick Co., supplies	15.40
•	\$259.80
MONTH OF SEPTEMBER.	
Paid—	
A. E. Eaton:	
Labor	\$67.50
Auto	15.00
Team	60.00
John Davis, labor	60.00
Albert Langly, labor	44.00
John Brown, labor	36.00
Joe Simoneau, labor	12.00
Nathaniel Sanborn, labor	60.00
Fred Rivers, labor	19.11
A. G. Doherty:	
Labor	24.00
Team	24.00
John Drauleau, labor	17.40
W. S. Haselton, labor	60.00
Fred Schlougk:	
Labor	44.00
Team	12.00
Benjamin Eaton, labor	4.00
George P. Griffin, labor and team	12.00
John Drauleau, team	16.00
Charles Keniston, labor	27.11
J. L. Hinds:	
Labor	4.00
Team	4.00
Myron Brown:	
Labor	20.00
Team	20.00

Paid—		-
Joe Gosselin:	Ño.	
Labor		\$8.00
Team		8.00
Peter Drauleau, labor		8.00
C. Coulton, labor		20.00
L. E. Emery:		
Labor		8.00
Team		8.00
G. E. Spofford, labor		10.00
F. H. Prescott Co., tools and supplies		23.65
A. E. Preston & Sons, blacksmith work		22.25
Frank I. Mack, 60 loads gravel		9.00
J. P. Griffin, 30 loads gravel		3.75
H. Salls, 12 loads gravel		1.80
E. L. Preston, 24 posts		7.20
-	\$7	799.77
Total expended on Town road	\$3.6	391.08

TOWN BRIDGES, MATERIAL AND LABOR.

,	
Paid—	
E. W. Smith, 130 feet stringers at 40 cents	\$52.00
Melvin Hall, 1,653 feet plank at 40 cents	66.12
A. E. Eaton:	
1,250 feet plank at 40 cents	50.00
52 feet stringers at 40 cents	20.80
G. P. Griffin, plank	44.59
A. E. Eaton:	
Labor	7.50
One horse	1.75
John G. Davis:	
Labor	12.89
Team	8.89
Charles Keniston, labor	4.00
C. Coulton, labor	6.22
Edward Smith, labor	4.00
George Browning, labor	1.78
F. R. Davis:	
Labor	10.22
Team	10.22
Joe Simoneau, labor	1.78
J. Hinds, labor	4.00
C. Newcomb, labor	5.78
	\$312.54
DEERNECK ROAD PERMANENT	
IMPROVEMENT.	
Paid— ·	
A. E. Eaton:	
Labor	\$85.50
Team	72.00
Auto	19.00
John G. Davis, labor	76.00
William Jameson, labor	64.00
Joe Simoneau, labor	76.00

Paid—	
Jennis Brown, labor	\$20.00
Nathaniel Sanborn, labor	76.00
A. G. Doherty:	
Labor	69.78
Team	75.56
A. Langly, labor	76.00
William Heselton, labor	8.00
John Brown, labor	57.78
John Drauleau, labor and team	81.78
Fred Rivers, labor	28.00
Joe Drauleau, labor	17.78
F. H. Prescott, 54 gallons gas, 5 gallons oil	14.19
J. B. Varick Co., dynamite and supplies	25.68
S. P. Dodge, sharpening drills	19.25
Vogel & Hadley, use of truck and compress	
air machine	90.50
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	\$1,052.80
STREET LIGHTS.	
Paid—	
M. T. L. & P. Co	\$120.00
	φ120.00
LIBRARY.	Ψ120.00
LIBRARY.	Ψ120.00
	\$45.60
Paid—	·
Paid— E. D. Allen, library trustee WINTER ROADS.	·
Paid— E. D. Allen, library trustee WINTER ROADS. Paid—	\$45.60
Paid— E. D. Allen, library trustee WINTER ROADS. Paid— Wallace Deleware	·
Paid— E. D. Allen, library trustee WINTER ROADS. Paid— Wallace Deleware A. Larroeu	\$45.60 \$9.88
Paid— E. D. Allen, library trustee WINTER ROADS. Paid— Wallace Deleware A. Larroeu A. Barbeau	\$45.60 \$9.88 21.92
Paid— E. D. Allen, library trustee WINTER ROADS. Paid— Wallace Deleware A. Larroeu A. Barbeau J. L. Hinds	\$45.60 \$9.88 21.92 1.40
Paid— E. D. Allen, library trustee WINTER ROADS. Paid— Wallace Deleware A. Larroeu A. Barbeau J. L. Hinds Fred Stacy	\$9.88 21.92 1.40 46.68
Paid— E. D. Allen, library trustee WINTER ROADS. Paid— Wallace Deleware A. Larroeu A. Barbeau J. L. Hinds	\$9.88 21.92 1.40 46.68 14.35
Paid— E. D. Allen, library trustee WINTER ROADS. Paid— Wallace Deleware A. Larroeu A. Barbeau J. L. Hinds Fred Stacy F. R. Davis	\$9.88 21.92 1.40 46.68 14.35 41.89

Paid—	
E. C. Hanscom	\$37.95
A. E. Hanscom	18.55
A. E. Eaton	93.92
F. H. Hamblett	6.30
F. C. Foss	2.80
Joseph Ella	15.50
George P. Griffin	10.12
John G. Davis	3.85
G. Lambert	9.45
O. Gosselin	9.45
Joe Gosselin	29.70
L. E. Emery	13.50
E. W. Fogg	7.70
B. S. McDuffee	2.75
R. P. Cattleing	1.40
E. D. Allen	10.05
F. H. Hall	23.91
Harvey Stowe	12.65
	\$488.03
TOWN POOR.	
Paid—	
L. I. Emmerson, care of tramp	\$2.00
Rockingham County, board of W. H. Davis	288.00
H. E. Magoon, milk	95.76
Mrs. J. A. Saunders, milk	44.30
Archy Rankin, rent	100.00
E. L. Preston, fuel	102.00
Clothing, shoes and supplies	111.42
Lillian M. Davis, for groceries	321.50
C. P. Hunt, meat	30.00
E. L. Preston, cleaning vault	2.00
12. 12. 1 Teston, creating value	
J. A. Saunders, cleaning vault	2.00

Paid—	
A. A. Blondin, dental work	\$12.00
F. H. Prescott Co., groceries	80.78
G. E. Spofford, repairs	3.00
	\$1,215.26
COUNTY POOR.	
Paid—	מרח מד
A. M. Foster, M. D	\$53.25
E. L. Preston, transporting Thomas Howard	6.00
to County Farm	0.00
	\$59.25
PATRIOTIC PURPOSES.	
Paid—	
Myrtie Preston, Memorial Day committee	\$22.00
CEMETERIES.	
Paid—	
E. L. Preston, cemetery trustee	\$100.00
J. T. McKinley, driving hearse	8.00
A. E. Preston & Sons, repair hearse	4.00
	\$112.00
DAMAGE BY DOGS.	φ112.00
Paid—	
W. J. Moy, hens killed	\$22.50
PAYMENTS TO OTHER GOVERNM DIVISIONS.	ENTAL
Paid—	
School treasurer	\$7,270.78
County Treasurer	1,704.04
State, special poll tax assessment	592.00
	\$9,566.82
Auburn-Five	, ,

STATEMENT.

Due Town from State, railroad tax	\$114.69
Due Town from State, savings bank tax	1,446.01
-	
	\$1,560.70
Due State, State tax	1,495.00
70.1	
Balance received from State	
We hereby certify that the within financial a	accounts are
correct.	

EDGAR L. PRESTON, GEORGE E. SPOFFORD, SEVERANCE A. SMITH, Selectmen of Auburn.

CHARLES W. HUNKINS,

Town Treasurer.

AUDITORS' REPORT

February 14, 1925.

We have made examination of the accounts of the Selectmen, Treasurer, Road Agent and Tax Collector, and find the same correctly cast.

FRANK FORSAITH, HENRY H. PRESTON, LUTHER A. FORD.

Auditors.

REPORT OF TRUST FUND TRUSTEES.

NAME OF FUND.	Amount of Principal.	Balance Jan. 31, 1924.	Income for Year.	Expended.	Balance Jan. 31, 1925,
Emeline Reed	\$100	\$55.19	\$7.05	\$33.00	\$29.24
Sarah Pennock	50	14.59	2.88	1.50	15.97
Page Griffin	50	7.38	2.60		9.98
Hosea B. Burnham, Cemetery	300	19.68	14.51	4.25	29.94
Hosea B. Burnham, Literary	1,500	8.17	68.88	77.05	
Anna C. Clark	50	.93	2.25	• • • •	3.18

EDGAR L. PRESTON, Sec'y. and Treas.

We certify the account above is correct.

FRANK FORSAITH, HENRY H. PRESTON, LUTHER A. FORD, Auditors.

REPORT OF CEMETERY TRUSTEES

January 31, 1925.

January 31, 1924, unpaid balance		\$51.56
Received from:	=	
Town Treasurer	\$100.00	
Mary Stowe, 2 lots	40.00	
J. P. Griffin, sale of hay	20.00	,
, , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , ,		\$160.00
Paid—		
Deficit January 1, 1924:		
J. P. Griffin	\$46.56	
E. L. Preston, mowing	5.00	
Arthur Barbeau	12.54	
Charles Clark	11.20	
J. P. Griffin	6.82	
J. P. Griffin, grading soldiers'		
lots	10.00	
E. L. Preston	5.00	
_		\$97.12
Balance on hand		\$62.88

EDGAR L. PRESTON,

Treasurer.

We certify the account above is correct.

FRANK FORSAITH, HENRY H. PRESTON, LUTHER A. FORD,

Auditors.

REPORT OF THE GRIFFIN LIBRARY FUND FOR 1924.

BILLS RECEIVED.

Balance from year 1923	\$21.62
Aug. 2. Museum	0.75
Sept. 12. Dr. Burnham Fund	77.05
Town Appropriation	45.60
Total Fund	\$145.02
Bills paid	137.87
Balance	\$7.15

ELMER D. ALLEN,

Treasurer.

We certify the account above is correct.

FRANK FORSAITH,
HENRY H. PRESTON,
LUTHER A. FORD,
Auditors.

BILLS PAID.

Paid-		
May 20.	W. P. Goodman	\$1.20
Sept. 19.	Cora C. Emery, one book	8.50
Nov. 29.	Cora C. Emery	20.00
1924.	v	
Jan. 3.	Willard H. Griffin, for money	
	expended as follows:	
	To Varick & Co., 3 gal. floor	
	paint, @ \$3.10	9.30
	Prescott Co., 5 quarts turpentine	
	@ \$.35	1.75
	A. Hill, 19 hours, painting	
	@ \$.40	7.60
•	Repairs on roof, ½ day	2.00
	250 shingles @ \$4.00	1.00
	Wood for library	3.00
Jan. 9.		50.48
Feb. 4.	W. P. Goodman	33.04
Total	of bills paid	\$137.87

BOOKS ADDED TO GRIFFIN FREE PUBLIC LIBRARY, 1924.

Abbott. Laughing Last.

Alger. Wait and Hope.

Bower. Bellehelen Mine. Bailey. Peacock Feathers.

Baldwin. Magic and Mary Rose.

Byrne. Blind Raftery.

Beach. Big Brother.

Burleigh. Hilltop Boys on the River.

Burton. Boy Scouts of Bob's Hill.

Carleton. Their Dusty Hands.

Curwood. Gentleman of Courage.

Chase. Virginia of Elk Creek Valley.

Carter. Boy Scouts at Battle of Saratoga.

Dell. Great Heart.

Unknown Quantity.

Deland. Around Old Chester.

Douglas. Camping at Raccoon Bluff.

Eberhardt. Classmates.

Ferber. So Big.

Friel. The King of No Man's Land.

Fullerton. Jimmie Kirkland.

Grey. The Call of the Canyon.

Wandering of the Wasteland.

Thundering Herd.

Hall. Through Mocking Bird Gap.

Hindryx. At the Foot of the Rainbow.

Hall. Across the Mesa.

Hueston. Merry O.

Kyne. Enchanted Hill.

Cappy Ricks Retires.

Lutz. Recreation.

Lo Michiel.

Tomorrow at This Time.

Lincoln. Rugged Water.

Leslie. With Trapper Jim in the North Woods.

McCutcheon. East of the Setting Sun.

Morrow. The Devonshires.

Madison. A Colonial Maid.

Marshall. Sewards Folly.

North. Virginia of Y. M. Ranch. Virginia at Vine Haven.

Nicolay. Abraham Lincoln.

Norris. Rose of the World.

O'Brien. The Best British Short Stories of 1924.

Oyen. Tarrant of Tin Spout.

Oppenheim. The Inevitable Millionaires.

Payne. Lights Along the Ledges.

Peddler. Waves of Destiny.

Porter. Hustler Joe.

People's War Book and Atlas.

Richmond. Red of the Redfields.

Rinehart. Temperamental People.

Seltzer. Boss of the Lazy Y.

Standish. Frank Merriwell's Power.

Capt. Jack Larimer. Lego Lamb South Paw.

Sherman. With Joffre in the Trenches.

Victor. Boy Scouts in the Canadian Rockies.

Winddemer. Winona of the Camp Fire. Winona Ways.

Waller. Deep in the Hearts of Men.

Wells. Prillilgirl Girl.

Webster. Harry Watson High School Days.

Yound. The Racer Boys.

The World Almanac and Books of Facts.

Magazines Subscribed for by the Library for 1924 and 1925.

Geographic. Youth's Companion. Popular Mechanics. Delineator. Goodhousekeeping.

GIFTS OF BOOKS BY

Clarence Salls. L. Harris.

GIFTS OF MAGAZINES BY

Mrs. Walter Parker. Charlotte Hunkins. Ida Davis. Mrs. James Hall.

> CORA C. EMERY, Librarian.



School District of Auburn, N. H.

ANNUAL REPORTS

OF THE

School Board and Treasurer

FOR THE

Year Beginning July 1, 1923 Ending June 30, 1924

SCHOOL WARRANT

[Copy of School Warrant as drafted by the School Board February 4, 1925.]

STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE.

ROCKINGHAM, SS.

To the Inhabitants of the School District of Auburn, N. H., qualified to vote in School District Affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet at Grange Hall, in said district, on Saturday, the 14th day of March, 1925, at 1:30 o'clock in the afternoon, to act upon the following subjects:

First. To choose a Moderator for the ensuing year.

Second. To choose a Clerk for the ensuing year.

Third. To choose a member of the School Board for three years.

Fourth. To choose a member of the School Board for one year.

Fifth. To choose a Treasurer for the ensuing year.

Sixth. To choose an Auditor for the ensuing year.

Seventh. To see what sum of money the district will vote to raise for the support of schools in addition to that required by law for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1926.

Eighth. To see what sum of money the district will vote to raise for the repair of school buildings for the year ending June 30, 1926.

Ninth. To see what sum of money the district will vote to raise for the Truant Officer's services for the ensuing year.

Tenth. To see what sum of money the district will vote to raise for the School District Officers' services for the ensuing year.

Eleventh. To see what sum of money the district will vote to raise for the expense of administration for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1926.

Twelfth. To see what sum of money the district will vote to raise for the Superintendent's excess salary, for the school year 1925-1926.

Thirteenth. To see what sum of money the district will vote to raise for new equipment for school year ending June 30, 1926.

Fourteenth. To see what sum of money the district will vote to raise for the payment on debt incurred in building schoolhouse in Severance district.

Fifteenth. To see if the district will vote to raise the sum of \$100 for interest for one year on said debt.

Sixteenth. To see what sum of money the district will vote to raise to procure a water supply and equipment for same at the Severance School.

Seventeenth. To see what action the district will take in regard to paying the full amount of High School tuition, per pupil.

Eighteenth. To see what sum of money the district will vote to raise for graduating exercises.

Nineteenth. To choose any other officers or transact any other business that may legally come before said meeting.

> JOHN T. McKINLEY, THOMAS F. DOLLARD, FRANK FORSAITH,

> > School Board.

REPORT OF SCHOOL BOARD

BUDGET (SCHOOL MONEY).

ESTIMATES OF ASSESSMENTS REQUIRED.

\$700.00
312.00
10.00
\$200.00
224.00
100.00
200.00
200.00

SUPPORT OF SCHOOLS.

RECEIPTS.

Cash balance	\$456.60 2,106.75 9,339.48
Total	\$11,902.83
EXPENDITURES.	
Teachers' Salaries.	
Mary B. McKinley, No. 2 Eva D. Smith, No. 3. Hilda Paulsen, No. 5 Dorothy Gary, No. 7 Hazel Hicks, No. 7. Mildred Waters, Severance Primary Ella Allen, Severance Grammar Total	\$720.00 720.00 684.00 950.00 5.00 850.04 850.00
$\mathbf{F}_{\mathbf{UEL}}$.	
Freeman R. Davis George P. Griffin. John Giddings Harvey E. Stowe Roy Davis	\$231.00 31.50 29.00 8.50 1.00
Total	\$301.00

TRANSPORTATION.

J. T. McKinley	\$360.00
Wm. J. Moy	360.00
Frank Forsaith	360.00
Total	\$1,080.00
Janitors.	
Mary B. McKinley	\$36.00
Antonio Boucher	56.25
Henry Ziarko	9.00
George Preston	36.00
Delia Jameson	20.00
Mary Jamrog	27.00
Leon Hardy	24.75
Alonzo Jameson	16.00
Total	\$225.00
Medical Inspection.	
G. M. Crowell, M. D	\$62.00
High School Tuition.	
Beatrice Salls, Manchester, 1 term	\$52.50
Wm. Dollard, Manchester, 1 term	70.00
Gladys Moy, Manchester, 1 term	70.00
Evander Preston, Manchester, 1 term	70.00
Helen Preston, Manchester, 1 term	70.00
Roy Davis, Pinkerton	50.00
Money expended	\$382.50
Amount of money available	205.00
Deficit	\$177.50

MINOR REPAIRS AND EXPENSES.

W. E. Delaware	\$1.00
C. A. Hoitt Co	5.95
E. E. Babb & Co	17.50
Harvey Stowe	10.20
J. T. McKinley	3.60
Ella A. Allen	.95
Alfred Lallier	4.62
F. H. Prescott & Co	3.05
D. F. McIntire	19.75
Frank Forsaith	2.50
Alonzo Jameson	72
Melvin Lewis	1.00
Mary Jamrog	8.00
Mary McKinley	4.00
Delia Jameson	5.00
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Total	\$87.84
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General Expenses.	,,,,,,
	\$133.13
General Expenses.	·
GENERAL EXPENSES. Text-book	\$133.1 3
GENERAL EXPENSES. Text-book	\$133.13 203.65
General Expenses. Text-book Scholars' supplies Janitors' supplies	\$133.13 203.65 26.15
General Expenses. Text-book	\$133.13 203.65 26.15 8.75
GENERAL EXPENSES. Text-book Scholars' supplies Janitors' supplies New equipment Other expenses of instruction	\$133.13 203.65 26.15 8.75 12.72
General Expenses. Text-book Scholars' supplies Janitors' supplies New equipment Other expenses of instruction School District officers	\$133.13 203.65 26.15 8.75 12.72 152.67
General Expenses. Text-book Scholars' supplies Janitors' supplies New equipment Other expenses of instruction School District officers Per capita tax Total	\$133.13 203.65 26.15 8.75 12.72 152.67 310.00
General Expenses. Text-book Scholars' supplies Janitors' supplies New equipment Other expenses of instruction School District officers Per capita tax	\$133.13 203.65 26.15 8.75 12.72 152.67 310.00 \$847.07
General Expenses. Text-book Scholars' supplies Janitors' supplies New equipment Other expenses of instruction School District officers Per capita tax Total Expenses of administration	\$133.13 203.65 26.15 8.75 12.72 152.67 310.00 \$847.07
General Expenses. Text-book Scholars' supplies Janitors' supplies New equipment Other expenses of instruction School District officers Per capita tax Total Expenses of administration Truant officer and census	\$133.13 203.65 26.15 8.75 12.72 152.67 310.00 \$847.07 \$76.25 13.86

DEBT.

Balance on note, F. H. Prescott	
Paid F. H. Prescott, June 25, 1924	1,000.00
Balance	\$2,000.00
Paid F. H. Prescott, interest on note for one year	\$150.00

We certify that the foregoing accounts are correct.

JOHN T. McKINLEY, THOMAS F. DOLLARD, FRANK FORSAITH, School Board.

Audited and found correct by

CORA C. EMERY.

ROLL OF PERFECT ATTENDANCE.

VILLAGE SCHOOL

One Term

Gertrude Eaton Melvin Eaton Vera Forsaith Luther Preston

Henry Sanborn

Two Terms

Lloyd Emery

Sara Sanborn

Three Terms.
None.

SEVERANCE PRIMARY

One Term

Bella Croteau Winifred Ellison Maurice Gilbert Edward Legg Fred E. Emerson Mamie Gancarz Clementine Lalliere Malcolm Newton

Two Terms
Richard Newton

Three Terms
Edward Stowe

SEVERANCE GRAMMAR

One Term

Dorothy Boynton

Elwyn Newton

Joseph Gancarz

Two Terms

James Clark Winifred Clark Wilfred Croteau Albertine Gabert Bertha Rollins Kenneth Newton

Three Terms

Henry Gancarz

Aime Lemieux

BUNKER HILL

One Term

Esther Davis William Davis Alden Davis Frances Illsley William Davis Willard Underhill

Two Terms

None

Three Terms

None

SCHOOL NUMBER TWO

One Term

Eugene Gosselin

Albertine Gosselin

Albert Gladysz

Two Terms

Edward Gosselin

Genevieve Jacobiec

Three Terms

Wilfred H. Batchelder

Emile Gagnon

SCHOOL ATTENDANCE FOR THE YEAR 1923-1924.

1	Visits by School	67	11	6	6.1	4	
	-neinireque gd stisiV dent	20	24	24	18	22	
	Days Lost	6	S.	2	7	rc	
	210jisiV	64	46	09	45	37	
	eseasnib1gT	55	13	31	61	r3	
	Percent of Atten- dance	93	96	26	92	95	
	qidarədməM əzarəvA	24	5.4	18	14	19	
	Daily Attendance	67 67	01 01	18	13	18	
	afrið	14	F-1	11	11	10	
	Boys	14	16	16	9	11	
	Enrollment	88	30	2.7	17	21	
	Тваснви	Eva D. Smith	Mildred Waters	Ella Allen	Hilda Paulsen	Mary McKinley	
	20ноог		Severance	Severance		Number Two	

GRADUATING CLASS OF THE AUBURN SCHOOLS FOR THE YEAR 1923-1924.

School Number Two Eugene J. Gosselin

> BUNKER HILL Frances E. Illsey

VILLAGE SCHOOL

Sara M. Sanborn

Vera W. Forsaith

School Number Seven

Mary Tillie Jamrog

SEVERANCE SCHOOL

Aime P. Lemieux Dora Alice Lemieux Joseph M. Gancarz

Diplomas were awarded to Joseph A. Jacobiec, and to Stanilaus P. Jacobiec, who had completed the course of study at School Number Two several years ago, and had not received diplomas.

HEALTH SUPERVISION—REPORT OF EXAMINER.

District—Auburn.

Date—September 24, 1924.

Examiner—G. M. Crowell, M. D.

Number examined: Pupils, 131.

Number pupils not examined: At parent's written request, 0; not present, 3.

	No. cases found by examiner.	No. notices sent to parents by exam- iner.	No. cases treated since last exami- nation.
Defective vision	8	8	0
Defective hearing	2	2	0
Orthopedic defects	1	1	0
Defective teeth	69	69	0
Hypertrophied tonsils	30	30	0
Adenoids	7	7	0
Defects of breathing	5	5	0
Unvaccinated (without proper ex-			
cuse)	16	16	0

SCHOOL TREASURER'S REPORT.

School District of Auburn, N. H. For the Fiscal Year ending June 30, 1924.

RECEIPTS.

Money in the treasury July 1, 1923	\$456.60
Received from Town Treasurer	9,339.48
Received from State Treasurer	2,106.75
· ·	\$11,902.83
Expenditures.	
Paid-	
Roy W. Davis	\$1.00
Mildred E. Waters	850.04
Eva D. Smith	720.00
Hazel P. Hicks	5.00
Mary B. McKinley	760.00
Hilda Paulsen	684.00
Ella A. Allen	851.20
Dorothy Gary	950.00
Frank Forsaith	390.84
John T. McKinley	429.08
Charles A. Hoitt Co	5.95
Antonio Boucher	56.25
R. E. Lane	1.86
Manchester School Department	105.00
John Giddings	29.00
Albert E. Preston	70.00
Vincent Gatto	26.95

Paid—	
W. E. Delaware	1.00
J. L. Hammett Co	179.20
World Book Co	14.93
Ginn & Co	31.87
Edward E. Babb Co	47.77
Macmillan Co	11.96
Benj. H. Sanborn & Co	3.59
American Book Co	27.27
F. M. Ambrose & Co	13.19
Silver Burdett & Co	5.09
Freeman R. Davis	231.00
Henry Ziarko	9.00
State Treasurer	310.00
W. P. Tenney	224.00
George P. Griffin	31.50
Houghton Mitflin Co	4.55
Milton Bradley Co	7.42
C. F. Williams & Son	1.84
George H. Preston	36.00
G. M. Crowell, M. D	63.00
D. Frank McIntire	19.75
Alfred Lallier	4.62
Harvey E. Stowe	87.05
Hall & McCreary Co	1.82
Edson C. Eastman Co	2.50
D. C. Heath & Co.	11.90
M. A. Lewis	1.00
William J. Moy	430.00
Town of Auburn	38.40
Mary Jamrog	27.00
Edward C. Griffin	28.09
Josiah T. Davis	50.00
Alonzo and Delia Jameson	41.72
Mertie C. Preston	4.00
Thomas F. Dollard	17.50
Scott Foresman & Co	0 22

Paid—	
F. A. Owen Pub. Co	3.99
Leon Hardy	24.75
Martin Diplo. Co	8.50
E. R. and W. P. Coburn	1.20
Edgar L. Preston	70.00
Cora C. Emery	2.00
E. F. Brown	1.40
F. H. Prescott Co	11.80
Frank H. Prescott	1,150.00
	\$9,228.56
Balance in the treasury	
Datance in the treasury	,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,
	\$11,902.83

I hereby certify that the foregoing account is correct.

EDWARD C. GRIFFIN. School District Treasurer

School District Treasurer of Auburn, N. H.

Auburn, N. H., July 8, 1924.

I hereby certify that I have this day examined the foregoing accounts of the School District Treasurer and find them correctly east, and properly vouched.

CORA C. EMERY,
Auditor of Auburn School Board.

SCHOOL ORGANIZATION.

SCHOOL BOARD

JOHN T. McKINLEY, CHAIRMAN, THOMAS F. DOLLARD. FRANK FORSAITH.

SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

VINCENT GATTO, A. B., LL. B. Raymond, N. H.

TEACHER—SCHOOL

EVA D. SMITH—Village.
HILDA PAULSEN—Number Seven.
MARY B. McKINLEY—Number Two.
FLORA CHARTER—Number One.
MILDRED WATERS—Severance Primary.
ELLA M. ALLEN—Severance Grammar.

REPORT OF THE SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS.

To the School Board:

Herewith I have the honor to present my annual school report for the year 1924-1925.

Can the Auburn children figure and spell? A set of examination questions in Arithmetic given to the ninth grade children in Springfield, Massachusetts, in 1846, for admission to high school, was found a few years ago. It is a matter of common knowledge that Arithmetic in those days was greatly emphasized. This test was given to the eighth grade pupils of Auburn in November, 1923. The Springfield children averaged fifteen and one-half years old. The Auburn children averaged a little over fourteen, and were in the eighth grade. The average rank received in Springfield was 29 per cent; the average for the state of New Hampshire was 49 per cent; the average for Auburn 49 per cent.

A spelling test was also discovered which had been given in Springfield at the same time as the Arithmetic test mentioned above. An equivalent test in spelling was given in Auburn in November, 1923, with these results: Springfield in 1846 with an average of 41 per cent; New Hampshire in 1923 with an average of 67 per cent; Auburn with an average of 87 per cent. Hooray for Auburn!

Last spring form two of the Stanford Achievement test was given to all the Auburn schools. Form one had been given in the fall. A decided improvement in the scholastic attainments of the children was shown as compared with the results secured earlier in the year, and the earlier results as explained in my report for 1923-1924 were satisfactory.

Early in the spring of 1924 I called a teachers' meeting at school No. Two. The purpose of the meeting was to have an understanding with the teachers as to what should be done regarding overage and backward children in the various grades; basis on which promotions should be made; and to formulate a graduation program for the various schools.

A very interesting graduation program was presented last June at Prescot's hall. Eight pupils were awarded diplomas for having honorably completed the course of study prescribed by the school board. Graduation has become a permanent custom. The young people of the town look forward to it as the great event of the year.

During the summer months while the school world is enjoying peace, and contentment, the school board's and the superintendent's duties still go on. Financial reports, statistical reports, repairs to school houses, hiring teachers, and attendance at institutes must be tended to, not to mention many other matters of more or less importance which require constant work and attention. Multiply the superintendent's share in these tasks by five, and you will get a clear conception as to whether supervising schools is merely holding an office, or performing service in the interest of education.

When all is said and done the greatest test of any school system is the quality of instruction and the actual accomplishment of the child. It has been my privilege and duty to take a direct part in these phases of school work. Suffice it to say that teachers and superintendent have worked harmoniously in a sort of partnership, to efficiently prepare the Auburn boys and girls for intelligent living, and for further education in higher institutions of learning.

Beside the supervision of the teachers' work, which has to do with questions of discipline, school manage-

ment, methods of teaching, material of instruction, and the enforcement of the rules and regulations of the state and local boards of education, during the fall term this year I have given in all the schools the following tests: Forms one of Scale for problems in Arithmetic by E. R. Buckingham, and of Thorndike McCall's Reading Scale. The results secured were tabulated and graphed, then discussed with the teachers. Giving tests of this kind is as beneficial to a school system, as taking account of stock is to a business man. Forms two of the same tests will be given in the spring term to see whether or not the advancement which should follow after a year's study, has actually taken place.

Perhaps enough has been said in previous school reports concerning the importance of punctual attendance, inexcusable absence from school, children's health, vaccination, and improvement of school buildings. These considerations are just as important now as they ever were. Let us remember that the law is no respecter of persons. Every worthy citizen responds cheerfully when called upon by the Commonwealth to perform civic duties, be it through the selectmen, the school board, the board of health, the superintendent of schools, or any other legally appointed officer in the interest and welfare of society.

Respectfully submitted,

VINCENT GATTO, Superintendent of Schools.

VITAL STATISTICS



BIRTHS.

(Registered in the town of Auburn, N. H., for the year ending December 31, 1924.)

Date, Name of Child, Name of Father, and Maiden Name of Mother.

- Feb. 24. William David Allen; Elmer D. Allen and Minnie L. Webster.
- April 10. Maurice L'Henreux; Alphonse L'Henreux and Eva R. Soucy.
- April 10. Stillborn child; Owen Garrahan and Emma Boivert.
- May 21. Joseph George Gilibert; John Gilibert and Emma Gauthier.
- June 11. Marie Corava Martha Gilibert; Joseph Gilibert and Ermeline Gagnon.
- Aug. 11. Lorraine Corinne Charest; Alfred Charest and Mathilda Bourassa.
- Aug. 11. Irene Clara Charest; Alfred Charest and Mathilda Bourassa.
- Oct. 6. May Rita Brown; John A. Brown and Rose M. Heroux.
- Dec. 3. Carl Henry Guinesso; Andrew Guinesso and Lillian J. Pingree.
- Dec. 8. Eva Cecille Gagnon; Gilbert George Gagnon and Clara Pelletier.

I hereby certify that the foregoing transcript of Births is correct, according to the best of my knowledge and belief.

EDWARD C. GRIFFIN, Town Clerk.

MARRIAGES.

- (Registered in the town of Auburn, N. H., for the year ending December 31, 1924.)
- Date, Where Married, Names of Parties, and Name of Person Performing Ceremony.
- Jan. 8. New Bedford, Mass.; Thomas C. Shiney and Matilda Dumesnil; by Alfred Bonneau, priest.
- Aug. 30. Chester, N. H.; Jenness G. Brown and Emma F. Rand; by Silas N. Adams, Clergyman.
- Dec. 25. Manchester, N. H.; George A. Sell and Margaret Connors; by J. Wesley Rafter, Clergyman.
- April 24. Manchester, N. H.; George Wyman and Emma Poulin; by Ferdinand Farley, Justice of the Peace.
- Nov. 27. Manchester, N. H.; Joseph Jakobicc and Evangeline Pasciak; by Rt. Rev. Ru Slocinski, Polish Catholic Bishop.
- Oct. 21. Manchester, N. H.; William Joseph O'Connor and Marcellene Gertrude North; by Rev. Francis D. Sliney, Roman Catholic Priest.

I hereby certify that the foregoing transcript of Marriages is correct, according to the best of my knowledge and belief.

EDWARD C. GRIFFIN, Town Clerk.

DEATHS.

(Registered in the town of Auburn, N. H., for the year ending December 31, 1924.)

Date, Name, Name of Father, and Maiden Name of Mother.

- April 10. Child of Owen and Emma Garrahan; Owen Garrahan and Emma Boisvert.
- April 12. Edward Burke; Samuel Burke and Jane McJibbon.
- June 7. John Carlton; Unknown.
- June 10. Charles W. Lovejoy; Royal Lovejoy and Mary Barron.
- July 28. Carl Stohlberg; Unknown.
- Aug. 26. Emma Brown; William Mason and Lidia Punt.
- Oct. 21. Edward H. Stowe; Robert Stowe and Christy Lue.
- Oct. 26. Sarah H. Watson; John Parkhurst and Surviah Manning.
- Nov. 3. George J. Terry; John Terry and Desire Dustin.
- Dec. 3. Mary. E. Coult; Jacob Buswell and Mary Sargent.

I hereby certify that the foregoign transcript of Deaths is correct, according to the best of my knowledge and belief.

EDWARD C. GRIFFIN, Town Clerk.

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